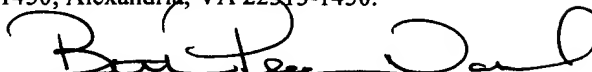


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This is in response to the referenced office action. Please amend the application as indicated below. Reconsideration of the application as amended is respectfully requested in view of the remarks below. Amendments to the claims start on page 2 of this document. Remarks start on page 13 of this document. Applicant appreciates the courtesy shown by the Examiner in the brief conference of March 29, 2006 and the clarification that there was no rejection under 35 USC §112 ¶ 2 in the office action.

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